



CHANEL COLLEGE

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"To act justly, to love tenderly and walk humbly with your God" Micah 6:8

From the Principal

Over the last couple of weeks the Leadership Team and I have been conducting the Student Leadership Interviews for 2017. I am always impressed by the calibre of the applications of our students and I always enjoy talking to them about their leadership aspirations. The style of leadership that will follow here at Chanel is servant leadership as modelled by Jesus. Like Jesus, servant leaders nurture a kind and gentle heart that guides decisions and actions (Matthew 6:19-24). Servant leaders prioritize the needs and interests of others ahead of their own. The servant leader is more interested in giving than receiving. The servant leader feels indebted, not entitled. The servant leader is a steward who wants to give back to God, to family to community and to others.

The Beatitudes in Matthew's Gospel provides a reflection guide for servant leaders. We are called to be faithful, compassionate, humble, passionate about justice, merciful, pure of heart, peaceful and courageous in the face of adversity. These are all great qualities to aspire to, but it is not easy. The circumstances of everyday life provide us with challenges and sometimes we don't always handle those challenges well, so it is important to stop and reflect and think about how we all can be better servant leaders during our daily interactions. Jesus said "Whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant" Matthew 20:26.

Year 12 QCS Test

Congratulations to the Year 12s on the successful completion of the QCS Test yesterday. We are very proud of you all. Thank you to Ms Going, Mrs Herbert, Mrs Cameron and Mrs Shahgholi who organised the Year 12 breakfast prior to the tests each morning and the Year 11 students and staff who assisted. What a great way to demonstrate servant leadership!

Planning for 2017

Planning for 2017 is well underway. We would appreciate it if information regarding any student who is not intending to return to Chanel in 2017 could be provided in writing to Ms Dyer at the College office as soon as possible.

Chanel College Term Dates 2017

- Term 1** Monday 23 January – Friday 31 March
- Term 2** Tuesday 18 April – Friday 23 June
- Term 3** Monday 10 July – Friday 15 September
- Term 4** Tuesday 3 October – Friday 17 November (Year 12)
Tuesday 3 October – Friday 24 November (Years 10 -11)
Tuesday 3 October – Friday 1 December (Years 7 – 9)



God bless
S.M. Nop
Sharon Volp



Good News

Kath Hore - Mission & RE Support Officer

National Evangelisation Team (NET)

The National Evangelisation Team presented a Retreat Day last Monday with the focus on social justice – “Hands and Feet.” The students were actively involved in both small and large group activities. They had the opportunity to hear the amazing stories of the NET members, many of them from other countries, and to share their own hopes and dreams of how they can make their world more just, peaceful and loving through prayer, words and actions.

A **huge thank you** to Amanda Hawtin, Suzy Chandler, Amanda Ramsay and Monique King for the evening meals you prepared and cooked and to Petrina Curd, Leanne Crane, Tammy Walz, Vicki Crick, Lee Butcher and Cindy Liaropoulos for generously stocking the fridge and the pantry. The team certainly appreciated being so well fed and your generosity was amazing. Thank you to each and every one of you.

Service to the Community – St Vinnies Buddies Day

Last Sunday eight 'big buddies' joined with five 'little buddies' for a fun day at the Botanical Gardens. Together they made towers using straws, spaghetti and marshmallows, played a variety of games and enjoyed a sausage sizzle lunch. This is a wonderful outreach for our students and very rewarding for all involved. Many thanks to all the big buddies, who organised and presented a wonderful and varied program, keeping the little buddies engaged and happy. Also a special thank you to Mr Mills who once again cooked a delicious sausage sizzle for all to enjoy.



Thursday Mass

Thursday 8 September - NO MASS – Exam Week

Thursday 15 September - Mrs Logan's Year 10B RE Class

Mass is celebrated in the College Chapel at 10.40 am each Thursday. **ALL WELCOME** - Families, friends, fellow students!!!

Please Pray for ...

- A peaceful and just solution to the fighting and the political unrest in Ukraine, Iraq, Syria
- Refugees fleeing turmoil in their own countries and searching for somewhere to call 'home'
- People in our community who are unwell or recovering from illness
- Students as they prepare for and do their end of term exams next week

Praise and Thanks for...

- All people, especially past students of Chanel, who are working in our world to ensure that justice and peace prevail
- Staff who so willing to give their time and energy for our retreat programs
- The efforts of all in our community that ensured the smooth preparation and running of the QCS Tests

If you have any requests for either of the above prayers, please leave your request at the Office.

An early Spring Clean!

Chanel Immersion Students are collecting items for the Kindergartens in Baguia. If there are any of the following that are no longer required in your home, please bring them to Mrs Hore's room for the students to take to Timor Leste during the September holidays. Paper for craft for making paper planes ...

Books with animals, transport, food, professions eg nurse, teacher, flowers, colours, numbers, shapes, buildings, musical instruments ...

Tea sets and cooking/kitchen items, Clothes for drama/dress up, Animals, Shapes, Dolls, Hoops, Plasticine, Beads and string for threading, Blue tack, Paint brushes all sizes, Paint for children, any colours, Musical instruments

QCS Test - Year 12

Our Year 12 Students were well supported as they prepared for their QCS on Tuesday and Wednesday. Chanel staff and students joined in prayer for them. As well as spiritual support they were all fed a nourishing breakfast that was kindly prepared by Year 11 students under the guidance of Ms Going, Mrs Herbert, Mrs Cameron and Mrs Shahgholi. Many thanks to all who supported our students and hopefully the prayers and the breakfast gathering relaxed our Year 12s and assisted them to prepare for the day.



Queensland Minerals and Energy Academy Introduction to Safety, Industry and Academic Writing



The QEMA and CQ University invite Year 12 students who are moving into University study to attend a specifically designed two-day course. This course will provide Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths University bound students with an introduction to Safety delivered by QGC, an onsite visit to local industry and discussions with the Engineering team. Students will also engage in an activity to explore the skills required to succeed in University studies as well as build a mini project within the laboratories of CQ University. A presentation will be given by APLNG around pathways to graduate entry level programs. Once you commence your University studies you will be encouraged to participate in as many different extra curriculum activities as you can manage. Additionally, depending on your study pathway, you may be engaged in work placement on various work sites. This two day course has been developed to assist you in these areas as well as provide you with an opportunity to network with professionals working in industry. The academic skills session will provide you important tools which you will require immediately upon beginning University studies and give you a head start in the development of essays and reports for your first year assignments. Please secure your spot at this program as soon as possible as positions are limited.

Email tammyg@qmea.org.au or contact Tammy Grady, Senior Project Officer, QMEA on 0428 750 029

Course: Tuesday 27 September and Wednesday 28 September 2016 starting time 9.00 am to 3.00 pm.

Location: Gladstone Engineering Centre Labs – CQ University Gladstone. Morning tea and lunch is provided.

HASS Week

a happening week

Hopefully one of those quotes of the day from HASS week helped students think about how the study of Humanities and Social Sciences educates us about the world, not only how the world shapes us but how we can shape the world. If not, maybe students had some fun with the activities which were run each day. There were many thoughtful, excited, happy, creative, competitive faces to be seen in and around Lavalla thanks to enthusiastic teachers and students. Thank you to all who contributed and participated in the HASS Week activities in Week 7.

Mrs Staunton

Humanities and Social Sciences' Curriculum Leader



Attention Drama Students

BELL SHAKESPEARE 2017:

In 2017 Bell Shakespeare are excited to launch their brand new Work Experience programme for students in Year 10–11. The entire 2017 programme is on sale from the beginning of Term 4. Give them a call if you are interested on **1300 305 730** to be placed on a priority contact list.

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Are you a student, and have questions about starting TAFE or uni? CQ University's Gladstone Open Day is on **this Sunday, 4 September from 9 am - 1 pm.**

With information sessions, interactive activities and opportunities to chat to expert staff and students, there has never been a better time visit CQ University Gladstone.



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**Flight Centre, Stocklands Shopping Centre Gladstone
7 September 2016, 6.30 pm (allow up to 2 hours)**

Café CHANEL



Last Friday Chanel hosted another successful Chanel Café. It was great to see the parents, teachers, students and community get behind this great chance for hospitality students to showcase their talents. It was a packed house for most of the day. The food was delicious and well presented, so congratulations to all those involved.



sporting news

Kylie Kickbusch
Sports Program Leader

Chanel Town Netball

2016 "Every accomplishment starts with the decision to try"- anonymous

It is with a grateful nature that myself and fellow co-coach Miss Laura Ord, would like to commend the eleven members of the Chanel College 2016 Town Netball team from Years 11-12: Lisa Davies (C), Katelyn Oliver (C), Georgia Kerr, Lisa Davies (C), Gabby Dansie, Holly O'Neal, Courtney Doherty, Emma Clarke, Sciara McKenzie, Alex Lennon, Carly Hill and Abbey Stevens. Your consistent demonstration of sportswomanship on the court has been an admirable trait of this years team. A special thank you to our two umpires for the season - Georgia and Katelyn. We would also like to show our deepest appreciation to the members of College staff, parents and carers and the Gladstone Netball Association for a wonderful Town Netball season. Your support and encouragement through a long season has been sincerely appreciated!

After a tough start to the Cadets 2 season, the team found some momentum after a few solid training sessions and had some strong wins. Unfortunately, the girls fell just short of being in the finals going down narrowly to Yaralla Wrens.

We look forward to welcoming any new players to the team next year!

Miss Sarah McDonough (Co-coach)

Interschool Soccer Finals

Wednesday 31 August was day for the finals of the interschool soccer competition. Two teams from Chanel – Year 7/8 and Year 9/10 boys competed in these matches.

Year 7/8 team played against Tannum Sands SHS in a playoff for third. The boys were pumped and eager to put on a great show for the big number of friends and family who came to watch them. The first half was fast paced, with a few great scoring opportunities for each team, but the goal keepers took some outstanding saves and the defence lines did not crack. Going into the second half, it started much the same, a few quick breaks opened up, but again both defensive lines would not crack. The only goal of the game came off a Tannum corner which unfortunately ended in an own goal and Tannum were up 1 nil. The Chanel boys kept taking their shots, they hit every inch of paint on the crossbar and the Tannum goal keeper pulled off some fantastic saves. The game ended 1 nil to Tannum with Chanel placing 4th in the competition. Congratulations boys on a fantastic interschool soccer season and for representing the College to the highest standard each week.



Year 9/10 Boys Soccer Report

Who needs Messi and Ronaldo when you've got Galjaardt and Tumbers? The Years 9 & 10 Interschool Soccer team put the finishing touches on an undefeated season with a 1 – 0 win over the feisty Bilo boys from out west. It was a difficult equation for our Chanel Champions as their expansive playing style was stifled by a very enthusiastic and competitive opposition and a very cramped undersized field. Nonetheless, the lads dominated with the silky skills of Dylan Walz and workaholic Declan Mackay forcing Biloela onto the back foot from the outset, providing excellent service for our terrifying strikers Cameron Fitzsimmons and Dominic Galjaardt and crafty wingers Robert Tracey and Oliver Harrington. Kai Nugent decided the match with a clinical top corner finish which upset the spiders living there. The boys were only able to dominate because they knew nothing was going to get past our defense! Ryan Sibley and Lachlan Pacheco easily snuffed out any threat through the middle and the wide boys Nathan Tumbers, Keenan Bamber-Henry and Oliver Kirk stopped any service attempted by the western wingers. Liam "Gloves" Gifford patrolled his area with authority grabbing anything that may have gone anywhere near his goal! The only downside of the victory was that we couldn't celebrate with the entire squad. The boys lifted to cover the gaps left by the energetic Thomas Nahrung and Jayden Oates, the organisational skills of the injured Craig Fleiter and the "give all for the team" efforts of Liam Amahit and Joseph Sisley. It was an absolute privilege coaching these young men as their attitude and sportsmanship was beyond reproach and they represented themselves and the College with pride at all times!

Mr Nelson Rose (Lucky Coach)



If you are interested in any of the following job opportunities. Please see Mrs Crane for the relevant information required to apply.

School Based Sewing Machine Technician, Rockhampton

CQ Sewing and Patchwork in Rockhampton are looking for a student (currently in Year 10) to undergo a TCF (Textile, Clothing, Footwear) Mechanic apprenticeship (Certificate III in Engineering - TCF Mechanic) to start in early November.

Certificate III in Business Administration Traineeship, Gladstone

This is a fantastic opportunity to commence / develop your career and be exposed to all facets of our dynamic industry whilst completing a 12 month structured Business Traineeship. **CLOSING DATE: 9 September 2016**

Business Traineeship, Hay Point Mackay Certificate III Business

As the world's largest seaborne coking coal supplier, and part of the BHP Billiton group, BMA in conjunction with MRAEL is offering a Business Traineeship at its Hay Point coal loading operation. This position will commence in January 2017

RIO Tinto Apprenticeships, Hail Creek, Mackay

Diesel Fitting and Electrical - Hail Creek are offering Apprenticeships in Diesel Fitting and Electrical. Double twist and power amp.

Fleet Mechanic Apprentice, Rockhampton

Transport company in Rockhampton are seeking a 1st year fleet mechanic to join their team. This is a full time position with the opportunity to complete a four year apprenticeship.

Year 12 Vocational Educational Learning Program

On Tuesday and Wednesday at Chanel College we developed a Vocational Education Learning Program for our Year 12 students who are OP ineligible and working towards a pathway direct to the workforce post year 12. We gave the students the opportunity to increase their employability skills. On Tuesday they completed a First Aid Course to attain First Aid qualifications. The Course was very successful and the Year 12 students will now be able to attach the First Aid certificate to their Resumes.

On Wednesday we conducted Mock interviews so the students had to wear clothes appropriate for the interview, bring their resume and cover letter tailored to the job/apprenticeship they were applying for. We had **Four Employers from around Gladstone** come to the College to interview the Year 12 students and the feedback from these Employers was fantastic. They were very impressed with how the students conducted themselves, commenting on their presentation and communication skills and the appropriate body language used. We would like to say a Big Thank You to the Employers that gave up their valuable time to come to the College and interview and review our Year 12 student's resumes. Employees from Bechtel, MRAEL Group, EQIP and Gladstone Job Skills.



School Fees

School Fees are due **1 September 2016**. If you are having any difficulties in paying please contact the finance office.

Phone: 4973 4711

Email: finance@chanelcollege.qld.edu.au

Year 7 NET



STUDENT ACCESS CENTRE

Do you need help with
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HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT HELP

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday at 8.00 am.

Also First Break every day except Thursdays.

Contact

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Career Officer: Mrs Crane on 4973 4738

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upcoming events

Week 9 5 - 9 September

Year 7 - 12 EXAM WEEK

Week 10

Mon 12 September

- Middle Year Student Leaders Applications for 2017 due to Print Room by 9.00 am
- Student Representative Council Meeting First Break

Thur 15 September

- McAuley Feast Day
- Year 12 University Experience Day

Fri 16 September

- Marist Solidarity Coin Trail Challenge

Term 3 Concludes

Term 4

Week 1

Mon 3 October

- QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Tues 4 October

TERM 4 COMMENCES

- Whole School Liturgy.
- Announcement of 2017 Student Leaders

Wed 5 October

- Year 9 Subject Selection for Year 10 in 2017 Evening (TBC)
- Chanel Board Meeting 5.30 pm

Week 2

Mon 10 October

- SPORTS AWARDS ASSEMBLY

Tue 11 October

- Student Representative Council Meeting First Break

Fri 14 October

- Year 10 Social 6.00 pm

Week 3

Mon 17 October

- **STUDENT FREE DAY**

- 2017 Student Leader Retreat

Tues 18 October

- 2017 Student Leader Retreat
- Middle Years Student Leaders Announced

Wed 19 October

- P & F Meeting 5.30 pm

Thur 20 October

- **Years 7 - 12 Awards Night**
6.30 pm

Sun 23 October

- Star of the Sea MASS 6.00 pm

Week 4

Mon 24 October

- Student Representative Council Final Meeting & BBQ First Break

Tue 25 October

- Senior Public Speaking Competition

Wed 26 October

- Junior Public Speaking Competition
- Farewell to Year 12s in Pastoral Care